

SCHEDULE 12.9.1
PHYSICAL COLLOCATION SPACE RESERVATION

12.9.1.1 Space for Physical Collocation may be reserved on the following basis:

1. AT&T may reserve additional space in an SBC-AMERITECH Central Office in which it has (or is ordering) for Physical Collocation for permitted telecommunications-related equipment.

2. A reservation may be maintained only by the payment of a non-recurring charge to defray the administrative costs of the reservation system ("Reservation Charge"), and all applicable recurring charges that may be charged for withholding the space from use either by other collocators or SBC-AMERITECH. No payment will be made until it is confirmed by SBC-AMERITECH that the requested collocation space is available.

3. The reservation can be made for an amount of space no greater than the amount of active Physical Collocation space being utilized (or ordered) for Interconnection with and/or access to the Network Elements of SBC-AMERITECH by AT&T in the particular Central Office.

4. The reservation takes a priority based on the time at which it is made.

5. The holder of a valid reservation may place an order for Physical Collocation for the reserved space at any time.

6. In a Central Office, SBC-AMERITECH may reserve space on the following conditions:

The amount of space must be the least amount of space reasonably necessary for the provision of a communications-related service – including Interconnection and the provision of unbundled Network Elements. Except for space reserved for switch (including Tandem Switches and STPs) conversion and growth and for augmentation and conversion of mechanical and electrical support systems and building infrastructure, the reserved space must reasonably be anticipated to be used in three (3) years.

The total amount of space reserved cannot exceed the amount of space SBC-AMERITECH is currently using in the Central Office.

SBC-AMERITECH will impute an amount equal to the reservation charge to the appropriate operations for which the space is reserved.

7. SBC-AMERITECH shall enforce its reservation in the same manner in which AT&T and other collocating Telecommunicating Carriers shall be required to enforce its reservations. In that case, SBC-AMERITECH will impute the floor space charge to the operations for which the space is reserved.

8. If SBC-AMERITECH incurs costs that it would not otherwise have incurred in order to remove obsolete and unused equipment from its central office to make collocation space available to AT&T, AT&T will compensate SBC-AMERITECH for those costs.